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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement mailed October 5, 2004, the applicant elects the group 2 invention, without traverse, which includes claims 42-58. Please proceed to examination on the merits.

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